

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

March 24, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the State Farm Waterline Project in fiscal year 2024.

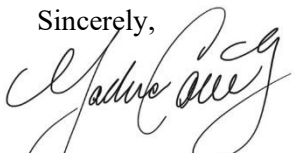
The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Evans, located at 1100 37th Street, Evans, Colorado 80620. The funding would be used for this project will be used to replace transmission and distribution pipes to prevent contamination caused by leaks or breaks in the pipe. Specifically, the project would remove and replace more than 1000 lineal feet of 6-inch DIP Waterline with 8-inch PVC waterline. In addition, it would repair the top sections of four (4) old sanitary sewer manholes and repave the entire length of the State Farm Street upon completion of the utility work. Finally, the project would stripe the south end of the street to create improved traffic flow during school pick up and drop off at Union Colony School.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve drinking water distribution to more economically-disadvantaged and diverse areas in the City of Evans, allowing for equitable drinking water. Additionally, this project will also improve the drinking water distribution for an elementary school located in the general vicinity.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Yadira Caraveo, M.D.
Member of Congress